IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEBRASKA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)	8:04CR164-1
Plaintiff,)	
VS.)	ORDER
OCTAVIO BARRON,)	
Defendant.)	

Pursuant to F.R.A.P. 24(a), and construing the papers liberally,

IT IS ORDERED that:

- (1) the appeal filed by Defendant appears to be taken in good faith;
- (2) Defendant's motion for leave to proceed in forma pauperis on appeal (filing 253) is granted;
- (3) the court reporter is directed to prepare and file an original transcript of the proceedings in this matter, with the expense thereof to be paid by the United States pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 753(f), with the understanding that I certify that the appeal is not frivolous and apparently presents a substantial question; and
- (4) the clerk is directed to provide a copy of this order to the United States Court of Appeals for the Eighth Circuit.

DATED: April 19, 2005.

BY THE COURT:

s/ Richard G. Kopf

United States District Judge